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PART V.

Season Report for the week ending with the Fortieth Saturday in October 1931
(*3rd October* 1931.)

	District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M on Saturday 3rd October 1931										Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
		This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1931									
						This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or deficit (—) of column 4 compared with column 5					
	1	2		3		4		5		6					
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
BANGALORE	Bangalore City & Taluk	0	00	1	40	22	34	22	69	—0	35		Seers	Seers	Seers
	Hoskote ...	0	00	1	32	21	29	25	74	—4	45				
	Dodballapur ...	0	09	1	31	22	27	21	45	+0	82	Rice, 2nd sort.	7'00	7'00	5'50
	Nelamangala ...	0	00	1	19	22	17	20	86	+1	31	Ragi	23'00	24'00	12'00
	Kankanhalli ...	0	00	1	04	12	71	19	19	—6	48				
	Magadi ...	0	00	1	26	20	21	12	84	—2	63				
	Channapatna ...	0	38	1	51	15	62	19	72	—4	10	Kulthi	13'00	13'00	12'00
	Anekal ...	0	95	0	79	16	62	47	26	—13	64				
	Devanhalli ...	0	00	1	42	14	06	18	88	—4	82	Kadale	7'00	7'00	5'00
	Closepet ...	0	56	1	05	17	47	20	26	—2	79				
	District average ...	0	19	1	23	18	48	23	89	—5	41				
KOLAR	Kolar ...	0	00	1	18	13	93	18	47	—4	54				
	Bowringpet ...	0	00	2	19	15	80	19	37	—3	57				
	Chintamani ...	0	00	1	43	9	40	20	20	—10	80	Rice, 2nd sort.	9'00	8'00	5'00
	Mulbagal ...	0	37	1	52	19	11	20	85	—1	74	Ragi	22'00	22'00	15'00
	Sidlaghatta ...	0	00	1	38	11	50	21	60	—10	10				
	Chikballapur ...	0	00	1	38	19	08	23	71	—4	63				
	Bagepalli ...	0	00	0	96	16	73	20	33	—3	60	Kulthi	12'00	12'00	15'00
	Goribidnur ...	0	00	1	19	16	73	18	22	—1	49				
	Malur ...	0	00	1	89	16	16	22	85	—6	69	Kadale	6'00	6'00	5'00
	Srinivaspur ...	0	00	1	53	11	72	20	45	—8	73				
	Gudibanda ...	0	00	0	90	13	44	20	32	—6	88				
	District average ...	0	03	1	41	14	87	20	58	—5	71				
TUMKUR	Tumkur ...	0	00	2	41	24	04	22	64	+1	40				
	Madhugiri ...	0	00	1	75	17	04	18	31	—1	27				
	Chiknayakanhalli ...	0	00	1	32	24	05	17	66	+6	39	Rice, 2nd sort.	7'00	8'00	4'50
	Sira ...	0	00	1	19	13	03	13	02	+0	01				
	Gubbi ...	0	00	2	03	20	49	18	21	+2	28	Ragi	30'00	24'00	10'00
	Tiptur ...	1	40	1	22	14	58	14	78	—0	20				
	Pavagada ...	0	00	0	65	9	15	12	58	—3	42	Kulthi	14'00	14'00	10'00
	Kunigal ...	0	00	2	43	19	09	21	45	—2	36				
	Koratagere ...	0	10	1	19	10	18	16	77	—6	59	Kadale	8'00	8'00	4'50
	Turuvekere ...	0	00	1	75	16	56	18	10	—1	54				
	District average ...	0	15	1	62	16	82	17	35	—0	53				

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	This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1931									
					This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or deficit (—) of column 4 compared with column 5					
1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
MYSORE														
Mysore ...	0	26	1	14	16	65	19	03	—2	18				
Chamrajnagar ...	0	00	0	65	14	47	15	51	—1	04				
Seringapatam ...	0	00	1	31	12	15	17	06	—4	91		Seers	Seers	Seers
Hunsur ...	0	15	0	78	22	44	20	79	+1	65				
Yedatore ...	0	00	1	30	20	33	17	65	+2	68	Rice, 2nd sort	7·00	7·00	7·00
Heggaddevankote ...	0	00	0	58	25	48	28	78	—3	30				
Gundlupet ...	0	00	1	04	13	20	16	49	—3	29	Ragi	20·00	20·00	11·00
Nanjangud ...	0	47	1	00	13	92	19	45	—5	53				
T.-Narsipur ...	0	31	0	44	11	47	18	43	—6	96	Kulthi	14·00	15·00	11·00
Malvalli ...	0	00	1	42	13	56	17	10	—3	54				
Mandya ...	0	00	1	64	12	51	16	34	—3	83	Kadale	7·00	8·00	7·00
Krishnarajpete ...	0	00	1	61	27	36	19	51	+7	45				
Nagamangala ...	0	00	1	73	15	98	17	37	—1	39				
Maddur ...	0	00	0	00	00	00	00	00	—0	00				
Periyapatna Sub-Tk...	0	00	0	07	25	23	2	26	+22	97				
District average ...	0	08	1	05	17	49	17	58	—0	09				
HASSAN														
Hassan ...	0	56	0	84	32	09	23	58	+8	51				
Manjarabad (Saklespur)	1	62	0	48	122	84	92	22	+30	62	Rice, 2nd sort.	9·00	9·00	6·00
Arkalgud ...	0	00	0	56	25	86	34	69	—8	83				
Belur ...	0	41	0	89	37	59	33	25	+4	34	Ragi	22·00	22·00	16·00
Channarayapatna ...	0	00	0	88	23	97	20	02	+3	95				
Arsikere ...	0	17	0	84	15	53	19	23	—3	70	Kulthi	15·00	14·00	14·00
Hole-Narsipur ...	0	00	1	09	20	36	20	29	+0	07				
Alur ...	0	34	0	52	36	09	33	54	+2	55	Kadale	6·00	6·00	5·00
District average ...	0	39	0	76	39	30	34	60	+4	70				
SHIMOGA														
Shimoga ...	0	00	0	84	27	83	25	91	+1	92				
Channagiri ...	0	04	1	26	19	48	22	66	—3	18				
Honnali ...	0	00	1	06	17	43	17	18	+0	25	Rice 2nd sort.	9·50	9·00	4·40
Shikarpur ...	0	00	0	58	33	88	29	86	+4	02				
Sorab ...	0	05	1	10	63	79	52	75	+11	04	Ragi	33·00	32·00	8·94
Sagar ...	0	27	1	50	91	52	81	77	+9	75				
Nagar (Kallurkatte)...	0	26	1	69	117	45	95	57	+17	88	Kulthi	14·00	13·00	6·26
Tirthahalli ...	0	40	1	76	126	95	115	12	+11	83				
Kumsi ...	0	08	1	06	29	09	34	96	—5	87				
District average ...	0	12	1	20	58	60	53	30	+5	30				
KADUR														
Chikmagalur ...	0	00	0	46	29	79	26	62	+3	17				
Kadur ...	0	00	0	24	12	68	17	42	—4	74	Rice, 2nd sort	9·00	9·00	6·00
Tarikere ...	0	00	0	63	30	57	27	73	+2	84				
Koppa ...	1	25	1	67	125	68	112	71	+12	97	Ragi	28·00	27·00	11·00
Mudgere ...	0	60	1	06	101	43	85	75	+15	68				
Narasimharajapura ...	0	13	1	13	72	38	69	65	+2	73	Kulthi	16·00	16·00	10·00
Sringeri ...	0	69	1	48	155	09	149	49	+5	60	Kadale	8·00	8·00	6·00
District average ...	0	38	0	97	75	37	69	91	+5	46				
CHITALDRUG														
Chitaldrug ...	0	00	0	99	16	20	16	46	—0	26				
Challakere ...	0	00	0	70	9	79	11	12	—1	33	Rice, 2nd sort.	9·00	9·00	5·00
Hiriyur ...	0	00	1	62	7	01	14	06	—7	05				
Holalkere ...	0	00	0	96	17	85	18	01	—0	16	Ragi	30·00	30·00	10·00
Davangere ...	0	00	1	74	19	32	18	11	+1	21	Kulthi	20·00	20·00	8·00
Molakalmuru ...	0	00	1	60	11	99	15	35	—3	36	Cholum	30·00	30·00	12·00
Jagalur ...	0	00	0	74	16	75	16	01	+0	74	Kadale	8·00	8·00	5·00
Hosdurga ...	0	00	0	80	15	96	17	08	—1	12				
Harihar ...	0	00	0	76	15	58	14	55	+1	03				
District average ...	0	00	1	10	14	49	15	64	—1	15				
Provincial average ...	0	17	1	17	31	93	31	61	+0	32				

NOTE —Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa
Ragi—Eleusinu Corocana.
Kulthi—(Horse gram) Dolichos Biflorus
Cholum—Serghum Vulgare
Kadale—(Bengal gra) Ciser Arietinum

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. The prospects of the season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Sowing of kulthi in Dodballapur, Nelamangala and Magadi Taluks, and weeding operations in all the Taluks are going on.

Seeds sown.—Kulthi is being sown.

Harvest.—Til is being harvested in parts of Bangalore City and Dodballapur Taluks.

State of Standing crops.—Paddy, ragi, sugar-cane and cereals are reported to be in good condition.

No damage is done to crops.

10. Good. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are generally reported to be healthy but for prevalence of Blackquarter in Luggere village, Bangalore Taluk.

Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Progress of Agricultural operations.*—Nil,

Conditions of standing crops.—Standing crops such as paddy, ragi, avare, ground-nuts, thogari, same, sajje are reported to be in a fair condition.

Sowing operations.—Horsegram is being sown in Bowringpet, Mulbagal, and Chikballapur Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Potatoes, ground-nuts and onions are being harvested in Chikballapur Taluk, and til in Malur Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Prices of food grains are stationary. Labour is available.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the District.

Pasture, water and fodder are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Jola, castor, navane, cotton and horsegram in Sira Taluk and horsegram in Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar-cane, ragi, avare, navane, jola, thogari, haraka, castor, cotton, korale, horsegram and ground-nuts, tobacco, are reported to be in good condition. Rain is badly wanted throughout the District.

Crops harvested.—Paddy, sugar-cane in Kunigal, Gubbi, Tiptur Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy throughout the District.

Water and fodder are available throughout the District except in parts of Pavagada where State Forests are thrown open for free grazing.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Paddy, sugar-cane, ragi, horsegram, mulberry, halasande, jola, avare, green-gram, coriander, thadagani, ground-nuts, castor, til, cotton, chillies, tobacco and kar-ragi are reported to be in good condition.

Seeds sown.—Ragi in Seringapatam and Mandya Taluks; horsegram in Maddur, Mandya and Krishnarajpete Taluks; avare in Mandya Taluk; Bengal-gram in Krishnarajpete Taluk and transplantation of paddy in Maddur Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Ragi in Hunsur Taluk and Periyapatna Sub-Taluk; Jola in Hunsur and Seringapatam Taluks; til in Heggaddevankote and Hunsur Taluks and sugar-cane in Nagamangala and Krishnarajpete Taluks.

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10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stocks are available in sufficient quantity. The standing crops in Malvalli, Gundlupet, Madlur, Mandya, Nanjangud, Yedatore and T. Narsipur Taluks are reported to be in need of rain.

11. Water and fodder are available.

Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of fever among them in parts of Yettiga and Alalahalli Villages of Heggaddevankote Taluk.

The Superintendent, Mysore Civil Veterinary Department has been addressed for taking early preventive measures.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Nil.

Standing crops.—Paddy in the Hassan, Manjarabad, Arkalgud, Belur and Channarayapatna Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; ragi in the Hassan, Arkalgud, Channarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks; avare in the Hassan Taluk and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; togari in the Hassan and Arkalgud Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; kulthi in the Hassan, Arkalgud and Arsikere Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; chillies in the Hassan Taluk; sugar-cane in the Arkalgud, Belur and Channarayapatna Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; jolam in the Arkalgud, Channarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks and castor in the Arkalgud Taluk are reported to be generally in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Ragi is being reaped in the Arkalgud Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be generally good. It is reported that standing crops in the Arsikere and Hole-Narsipur Taluks are in need of rains.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for "Chappe Roga" in the Kelahalli Village, Belur Taluk. The Veterinary Inspector is reported to have been addressed for taking remedial measures.

Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

Crops sown.—Horsegram in Kumsi Sub-Taluk and Honnali Taluk and ragi in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane and paddy in all the Taluks, ragi in Honnali, Sorab, Shikarpur, Channagiri Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk; jola and ground-nut in Honnali and Channagiri Taluks are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—It is reported that ground nut in the Shimoga, Channagiri and Honnali Taluks and ragi in Shikarpur Taluk, gingilly in Shimoga Taluk are being reaped.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food grains are available and their prices are fairly steady. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throught the District. Water and fodder for cattle are available in all the Taluks and Sub-Taluks of the District.

KADUR.

8. Markets well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

2. *Crops sown.*—Horsegram in Chikmagalur Taluk; horsegram and coriander in Kadur Taluk and paddy in Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk.

3. *Standing crops.*—Paddy, ragi, sugar-cane, coffee, avare, coriander, black-gram, thadaguni, cholam, green gram, castor, til, groundnut, save, navane, pepper, arecanut and cardamom are reported to be in good condition. But arecanut crop has suffered in some parts of Sringeri and Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluks due to Koleroga.

4. *Crops harvested.*—Til and coriander in Chikmagalur Taluk; till, green gram, cholam, coriander, groundnut and tadaguni in Kadur Taluk; til, blackgram, groundnut, greengram and arecanut in Tarikere Taluk; cardamom and arecanut in Koppa taluk; cardamom in Mudgere taluk and arecanut in Sringeri Sub-Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food grains are available and their prices are steady.

11. Cattle are generally healthy throughout the District. But it is reported that Rinderpest is prevailing in Dinnekere and Kotevoor villages in Chikmagalur Taluk and that the Veterinary Inspector concerned has been instructed to take action to check the spread of the disease.

Water and fooder for cattle are available in all the Taluks and Sub-Taluks of the District.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets were adequately supplied.

Agricultural operations.—Sowing operations are reported to be going on in the Taluks of Hiriyur, Challakere and Molakalmuru and harvesting operations in the remaihing Taluks.

Seeds sown.—Hiriyur :—Sajje, billijola, horsegram, navane, tobacco, Bengal-gram and cotton. Challakere :—Ragi, (under Kapile wells). Molakalmuru:—Paddy, bilijola and horsegram.

9. *State of Standing crops.*—Standing crops are reported to be in good condition in all the Taluks except Chitaldrug and Hosdurga where crops are withering for want of rains.

Crops harvested.—Chitaldrug.—Jola, til, black gram and ground nut, (8 to 12 annas); Holalkere.—Til 6 annas to 12 annas, blackgram 8 annas, groundnut 6 annas; Davangere.—Groundnut; Jagalur—Til and groundnut 8 annas; Hosdurga.—Til, jola and groundnut 6 annas; Harihar.—Til and groundnut.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. The prices of food stuffs continue to be stationary. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for rinderpest in Nandihalli. Bahadurgatta and Jalikatte Villages of Chitaldrug Taluk and Chikjajur of Holalkere Taluk. Chapperoga is reported to be prevailing in Kurubarahalli of Hiriyur Taluk. Yemmiganur of Holalkere Taluk and Nerlakere of Hosadurga Taluk and Adaru roga in Kurubarahalli of Hiriyur Taluk. Veterinary Inspectors are taking measures to check the spread of the disease.

Fodder and water are available.

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,
Bangalore, Dated 6th October 1931.

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